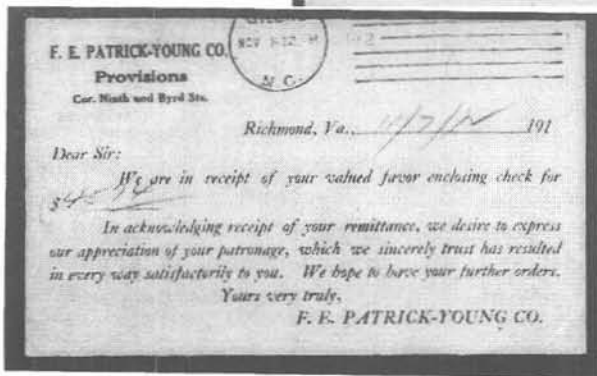


The accompanying illustrations of the front and back of a trade card I recently acquired via internet auction for my Virginia collection represents either a correct identity or a second identity.

The pattern is P245 (P-Y/C(o), rated A in the new catalog, and identified as having been used by the Southern Packing & Provision Co.

As can be seen from the reverse of the card, the user here is identified as F. E. Patrick - Young Co., a name more appropriate to the pattern's letters. While I have no doubt that the other name was probably used as well, we can now know that there are two confirmed identifications for this pattern.

What may be of even more interest is that the



seller showed only the front of the card and added no identifying information other than the perfins letters, as he is not perfins collector.